

**TEMPLATE FOR SUBMISSION OF TEXTUAL PROPOSALS DURING THE 30TH SESSION:
COUNCIL - PARTS I**

Please fill out one form for each textual proposal which your delegation(s) wish(es) to amend, add or delete and send to council@isa.org.jm.

1. Name(s) of Delegation(s) making the proposal:

Republic of Nauru

2. Please indicate the relevant provision to which the textual proposal refers.

Regulation 99

3. Kindly provide the proposed amendments to the regulation or standard or guideline in the text box below, using the “track changes” function in Microsoft Word. Please only reproduce the parts of the text that are being amended or deleted.

3. quat In the case of a written instruction ~~[issued under subparagraph 1(d)]~~, where the circumstances giving rise to a suspension are not resolved or are unlikely to be resolved, ~~the Compliance Committee shall following consultation with the Contractor, notify the Council immediately together with any recommendation as to whether such suspension should continue.~~ the Compliance Committee shall following consultation with the Contractor, notify the Council immediately together with any recommendation as to whether such suspension should continue. ~~†~~ the Council shall decide if the suspension should continue, including the placing of conditions on any recommencement of Exploitation activities, ~~taking into account any recommendations of the Compliance Committee.,~~ taking into account any recommendations of the Compliance Committee.

4. Please indicate the rationale for the proposal. [150-word limit]

It is important for a contractor to have an opportunity to be consulted by the Compliance Committee prior to any recommendation made to the Council and any decision taken by the Council. We therefore support the re-insertion of the words that have been proposed for removal reflecting proper due process.
